

APPENDIX A-87

ITEM CATEGORY CODES (ICCs)

1. Number of characters: One.
2. Type of code: Alpha/Numeric.
3. Explanation:

A code assigned to an item to indicate the method of requirements determination. Whenever a code is changed to NSO (2 or B), the Demand Value Code field in the NIR is changed to a letter D. If the item is a VIP coded item, the NIR code will be the letter A.

4. Source:

Supply Control Data Change, DIC ZR3, initiated by the Item Manager.

5. The following codes are assigned:

<u>CODE</u>	<u>DEFINITION</u>
B	Numeric Stockage Objective Type Item - Not subject to mechanical change to replenishment demand item or to a SSC denoting nonstockage during annual item review. Limited to insurance items deemed essential to military operations but for which few, if any, demands are anticipated.
P	Replenishment Demand Type Item (program oriented) - An item for which demand forecasts are based on program data as well as historical demand data.
1	Replenishment Demand Type Item (demand oriented) - An item for which demand forecasts are based on historical demand data.
2	Numeric Stockage Objective Type Item - Subject to mechanical change to replenishment demand items or to a SSC denoting nonstockage during annual item review. These items are needed, or expected to be needed, too infrequently to warrant stockage on the normal basis of historical demand, but do not qualify for management as nonstocked items.

6. References:

Appendix B-189, Supply Control Data Change Document.